# TEXAS NEWS.

FATAL AFFRAY BETWEEN A MAN AND HIS FATHER-

IN-LAW.

SHOOTING-AFFRAY AT GLENROSE. ONE MAN KILLED-ITEMS FROM THE STATE.

MRS. EANES ARRESTED.

SHOT AND KILLED.

Special Telegram to The Statesman. GLENBOSE, December 26.—Tom Cochran shot add killed John McClellan, in a billiard room at this place, yesterday at 3 p. m., over a trifling diffi-culty. Three shots were fired by Cochran. Mc-Clellan was not armed. Cochran is in jail. Great excitement exists over the affair, and lynching and a rescue are both apprehended.

#### SAN MARCOS MATTERS.

Special telegram to the Statesman. SAN MARCOS, December 26.—Mrs. Brown, the mother of our townsman A. T. Brown, was buried

The newspaper war, which has for some time been raging between the Free Press and the Cresset, terminated yesterday in a shooting scrape. Several shots were fired, blood was drawn, but no one seriously hurt. Outside of this Christmas has passed off quietly.

GIN BURNED.

Special telegram to the Statesman. Hendenson, December 26.—John Colty's cotton gin, together with twenty bales of cotton, was destroyed by fire, last night, near Concord, this county. Incendriaism is supposed to be the cause. No insurance

James Lyle, charged with shooting Andrew Craig, near Brookville, Panola county, on the 9th, surrendered to-day. He sued out a writ of habeas corous and was released on a five hundred dollar bond. The trial is set for December 30.

### GALVESTON MARINE.

STEAMSHIP ALAMO MAKES BEST TIME FROM NEW YORK.

Special Telegram to The Statesman. Galveston, December 26.—Arrived: Steamships Harlan, Vera Crnz; Alamo, New York: schooner Charles H. Walston, Baltimore. Sailed: Steam-

ship Harlon, Morgan City. The steamship Alamo, of Mallory line, Risk, master, in her recent passage made the quickest trip on record. Her log shows she left New York, December 19th, at 4:15 p. m., passed the light ship at 5:45 p. m., arrived at Key West Wednesday at 6:20 a. m., left Key West same day at 6:15 p. m., anchored off Galveston bar at midnight, of Friday, December 25th, making the actual running time from port to port, distance 1896 miles, five days, eighteen hours and thirty minutes, beating her former record three hours and forty-five minutes.

### EAST TEXAS.

IN-LAW.

Special Telegram to the Statesman. MOUNT PLEASANT, December 26 .- A shooting scrape took place at Cypress creek, Titus county, six miles south of here, last night. The particulars are, John Spilter and his son-in-law, T. R. Smith, quarreled about some ties they were getting out for the Texas and St. Louis railway. Smith finally commenced beating his father-in-law over the head with a revolver, and be wound up by going and getting a shotgun and shot the old gentle man in the breast. He cannot live. Smith cam to Mount Pleasant this morning for a physician pretending he wanted the doctor for his wife. He eported there had been four men shot at his house last night. The sheriff, G. B. Dixon, and his deputy, Dave Riddle, got hold of this report, but thought best to go to the place where the shooting was done in order to satisfy themselves, and they found but one man shot; that was Spilter. When the sheriff and his deputy got there, Smith was absent, but shortly afterwards returned. Spilter told the officers Smith did the shooting. They told Smith as soon as he made his appearance, he could consider himself under arrest. He replied, "I am

rs, but before he imself, found it licted by the sherv Dr. Gladnev, who is in Mount Pleas-

# N NOTES.

6.—Lieutenant-Colonel ment quartermaster-genis ordered to Vancouve erritory, as chief quarternt of Columbia, relieving Major Kimball will remain the department.

SOM THE CHIEF. the life saving bureau, tele dent Walters, at Newport, R.I. marine steamer fexter pro and vicinity to search for eth life saving crew. OTECTING INDIANS.

December 26.—A dispatch was ly from Gov. Zulick, of Arizona, os are required in the neighborarlos reservation to protect Indians on from threatened attacks by the element. The dispatch was trans-e secretary of war and by his Franciso to such points in Arizona as falling walls. The fire is a brook, commanding the department of business interests of the town. may direct. General Crook was also ed to increase his Indian scouts by one

MOURNING ENDED. days of mourning for the late Vice-Hendricks have expired, and the departother public buildings were to-day dimourning drapery.

NO OFFICIAL INFORMATION. Atkins, commissioner of Indiana affairs, government has no official information of upon the Indian camp, near El P:so, in which eleven Indians are reported to have

THE SEARCH ABANDONED.

WILKESBARRS, Pa., December 26.-Work at No.1 slope, where the accident occurred, at Nanticake, will be abandoned. It has been found that as fast who are undoubtedly buried deep beneath the knowledge of the marriage, and that it must have taken place when he was drunk.

ENGINEER ARRESTED. Sr. Louis, December 26.-Edward Skillan was arrested vesterday by Thomas Furlong, chief of phis, Tena., this morning. Skillan is a locomotive engineer, and stands indicted in Fayette county. Texas, for negligent homicide, having ran over and killed a woman while in charge of the locomotive between San Antonto and Houston on the G.

H. & S. Ry. June Sth. LAND GRANT BONDS.

Sr. Louis, December 26.-A number of holders St. Louis railroad, held a conference here this afternoon to devise means to have certain land certificates extended beyond the time specified on their face. Various schemes to dispose of these lands, involving the appointment of a receiver and organ-ization of a big land company to acquire still more land, were discussed, but no definite plan decided upon and another meeting will be held in the near future. It is thought, however, that the trustees of the lands will be requested or directed to take ac-tion looking to foreclosure of mortgage.

Use the great specific for "cold in head" and catarrh—Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

nvestigate. Officer Adams was sent back with him, an. together they took the mysterious can to the lake shore, at the foot of Chicago avenue, and touched a match to the foot of a fuse which wound about the can. The explosion made was terrible the noise of which was heard distinctly at the sta tion, and the earth was torn up for several feet. When the can was found it was standing under the loorway. The fuse was charred at the end, show ing that it had been lighted and gone out. The police will investigate the mysterious affair.

Judge Tree is now in Brussels, where he went a

few months ago as United States minister. No motive is known for the attempt to destroy his residence, which is one of the finest in Chicago and only completed about a year ago. It is at pres

ent occupied by Gen. A. C. McClurg.

The deadly contrivance looked like a common lamp and thinking it was put in the yard by some practical joker, the coachman removed it to the front yard. On laying it down he was horrified to notice that a fuse was attached to the machine. A hurried inspection revealed it was not the innocent thing it was deemed to be and it was left untouched until officer Gallaghe Special Telegram to the Statesman.

San Antonio, December, 26.—Mrs. Eanes, of Austin, who is accused of mirdering her five-year-old boy in that city was arrested three days and officers lost no time getting to the outside.

Many of them, mindful of Otto Frink's experience that city to-day in charge of an other carried it to Central station. His appearance created the wildest excitement and officers lost no time getting to the outside. with an infernal machine, ran pell mell out of the station, and Officer Gallagher was forced to dispose of the machine himself. He carried it to a powder dealer on Lake street, but this man refused to touch lt. A clerk in the store, however, examined it and at first sight pronounced it a finely constructed dynamite bemb. "Take it out of here," "explode it at once

Gallagher and the clerk hastened with the machine to the lake front, where preparations were made to explode the bomb and a fuse, live feet long, was attached to the machine and fired. Both men ran with all speed to a safe distance, and none too soon, for they had not gone 200 feet when the ma-chine exploded with a tremenduous noise. The re-port was heard as far west as Fifth avenue and an idea of the force of the explosion may be had from the way the ground was torn up. For a depth of six feet the frozen ground was scooped up as if it were so muc Officer Gallagher's companion, an expert,

was of opinion the explosion was of nitro glycerine and declared enough of it was present in the ma-chine to blow up the city hall. Thus far the police have no idea of the parties who are responsible for the con-templated outrage. It is not known that any motive existeded for the commission of such a barbarous act. The police have made no arrests. The Tree residence is one of the most elaborate and costly homes in the city, occupying one-quar-ter of an entire block in a fashionable residence listrict, in the north division of the city. The building probably represents \$2,000,000 with its valuable contents. It has been occupied for some-time by Gen. A. C. McClarg, of the large publishing house of Jansen, McClurg & Co.

### SUPPOSED TO BE LOST.

THE BARK AMETHYST MISSING IN

Washington, December 26.—Secretary Manning received the following dispatch from senator Fair, dated San Francisco, the "Americas whaling bark Amethyst of this port, supposed to have been lost on the way from the Arctic ocean. The last ship to arrive thinks she got down to Behring sea. The Amethyst had on board a crew of forty men. If the ship has been lost on the passage down to If the ship has been lost on the passage down, the crew may have got on shore on some of the islands of Behring sea, in which case unless assistance is rendered immediately they will all freeze to death. A petition from owners and masters of the whal-ing fleet have been forwarded you by mail imploring you to send up relief and a search party. Will you send such a party immediately? In case the Amethyst arrives I will telegraph you promptly that you can countermand orders."

Promptly upon the receipt of the dispatch at the transport.

the treasury, telegrams were sent to experienced officers of the revenue marine at San Francisco asking for information as to the probable condition A TITUS COUNTY MAN DELIBERATELY SHOOTS HIS FATHER
ATELY SHOOTS HIS FATHERson, as there is no vessel in po ernment strong enough to battle with the Arctic ice in winter. The revenue marine steamer Corwin, a vessel heretofore remarkably successful in Arctic work, is now at San Francisco, and if it is regarded feasible to make search, she undoubt-edly will be selected for the duty. If advices are received from San Francisco as to the undertaking, the matter will be laid before the president for his

### ENGLAND.

LONDON, December 26.—Dispatches from Paris say the premiership of M. Brisson is collapsing. A number of his former staunch supporters have deserted him

LONDON, December 27 .- The body of Walter Waddington was found on the highway yesterday with half his head blown off. It is not known whether he committed suicide or was murdered.

GENERAL CRANT'S TOMB. NEW YOR Scember 26.—Battery M, of the 5th illery, on duty at Riverside park spent the day in routine duty as usual. About 10:30 clock in the morning Mrs. Grant and Colonel Another geytleman, from San Francisco, asked to be allowed to cut some blades of grass near the

BOAT BLOWN UP. PENSACOLA, December 26.—The tugboat Jumbo exploded her koiler this morning, fatally wounding the engineer, Wm. Fourart, and a colored fire-. C. Peterson, a passenger, threw the captain and a deck hand overwoard and then jumped into the water and saved them both, although badly

# A FATAL FIRE.

scalding himself.

NEWBURYFORT, Mass., Dec. 26 .- Early this morning a fire broke out in Boardman's grocery, in the Adams block, Georgetown, and extended to the Masonic block, the Equitable building, Ferris' shoe factory and the private residence of E. J. Terry, all of which were destroyed, causing a loss of \$8,000, partially covered by insurance. Thirteen ousiness places were burned out. Engines were sent from Haverhill and Newburyport, and but for them all the center of the town would have been destroyed. During the fire Joseph Illsley, fireman, aged 23, unmarried, and George Chase. aged 23, we troops of cavalry and eight compan-try have been ordered to proceed at once franciso to such points in Arizona as

EX-MINISTER TO HAYTI.

Nashville, Tenn., December 26.—An immen assemblage of negroes gathered at St. John's colored Methodist Episcopal church on the occasion of the opening of the first exposition given by that race, and as a mark of esteem for Mr. J. M. Langston, late minister to Hayti. Langston commenced his address by congratulating the colored people on progress of the race made since the emancipation proclamation. He drew a comparison between the slaves that had been liberated years before them on | contract. the American continent, and says that the American negroes have advanced more in twenty-five years than others had in a long period of liberty.

MOTION DENIED. New York, December 26.—The supreme court to-day denied the motion of Mrs. Mary Kittson, otherwise Minnie Clartt, for alimony and couns as the debris is removed it flows in again from a fees in a suit brought by her for separation from great break in the culm bank above. The com- H. L. Kittson, to whom she claims she was married pany will recompense the relatives of the victims in April last. Kittson alleges that he has no

KILLED HIS WIFE.

CHICAGO, December 26 .- Thomas King, living at 2529 Cologne street, in a quarrel last night murderthe Missouri Pacific railway secret service, at Mem- ed his wife by beating out her brains with a chair. The murderer fled and has not yet been arrested.

The police succeeded in arresting King about 1 o'clock this afternoon. The murder was one of peculiar atrocity. The tragedy occurred on Christ-mas eve, and after killing his wife King remained in the house that night, all yesterday, and again ing saloon. King visited his sister-in-law this morning, and informed her of the occurrence, who,

AUSTIN

ERS ARE CULLED BY ENGLISH FRAUDS.

VAST FORTUNES, THAT EXIST ONLY IN THE SHARPER'S IMAGINATION.

Washington, D. C., December 27, 1885.

NEW WAY OF SWINDLING. A paper on the subject of unclaimed estates in England, prepared under direction of Minister Lowell by Mr. Henry White, one of the American secretaries of legation, has been sent by the president to congress with other papers. There seems to be no doubt, Mr. White says, that many are led to believe themselves heirs to vast estates in Great Britain by designing persons on both sides of the ocean who, with a view to personal gain, insert no-tices in local newspapers to the effect that large property left by a person of the same name with hat of some well known family of the district, or

lost keirs and the recovery of unclaimed estates. The modus operandi usually adopted by these agents is to ask first for a remittance of two or three pounds sterling, to cover the cost of copying | PIERCE'S "PLEASANT PURGATIVE the will upon which the claim purports to be based. Then a large sum for expense of institutng inquiries, and at each successive stage more blackmail is levied, the correspondence being so cleverly conducted that several years frequently before the fraud is discovered, should contribute a dollar to should. these unknown agents, especially towards any expenses connected with establishing claims to estates in this country, until inquiry has been made of counsel here, first as to the existence of the estate and then as to the chances of its recovery I am told by reputable solicitors that not one claim in a thousand of all those referred to them by the

legation had any validity whatever, and very few during their long experiences of claims from America have been successful. The paper is a long one, and the subject is treated exhaustively. Mr. White says the archievs of the legation show that a considerable proportion of its foreign correspondence is composed of letters pon this subject. Mr. White describes the reto which there were many American claimants, showing that the property went to the heirs at law long before American claimants were ever heard of, and that the latter never had the shadow of a title to it. Moreover, had the title once been a good one it would long since have beor individuals, after the lapse of twelve yearswhich may be extended to thirty under certain circumstances, and personal property after a lapse of twelve years—however valid the claim of the erson making the attempts may have been origin ally, is certain to end in failure. All members consequently, of the Jenners' association of the United States may rest assured that their subscrip tions are simply money thrown away if their of ject be the recovery of the Jenners estate. Recently a let r was received from a member of the aforesaid Jenners association, who had just been notified that a general assessment of £5 had been levied for the year ending June 30, 1884, and who, before paying the And very strange indeed it is to feel its dawn so same, inquired whether the legation could furnish before the court of chancery in En-

uments eminating from the associations, in one o which it is stated that the finance committee are fully satisfied with our agent's progress in the case, and, further on, that it becomes necessary for each and every member of this association to respond with the cash as liberally as their means will afford to carry our case to a final issue, which we have And gally did they talk about the gifts they would every reason to believe will be successful, provided funds be furnished. Similar to this case are the Hedges estate, the Bradford estate, the Hyde estate, the Horn estate and many others which are described as among the ordinary myths by which so many of our country-

supposed to be awaiting American claimants in the bank of England. Mr. White quotes from a letter, written by th chief accountant of that institution, as follows: "There are no large amounts of unclaimed stock or dividends standing on our books. Speaking enerally, without having made an extraustive reearch, which would involve some considerable labor, there are very few amounts of one thousand pounds and probably none that exceed

his sum by re than one hundred of two hundred pounds And in regard to the fabulous fortunes locked up in chancery, he says: "To judge from letters re-ceived at the legation from the United States in ref-erence to unclaimed funds in chancery, many of Grant drove up in a carriage and alighted at the tomb. When taey had gone a white-haired ex-soldier begged permission of Officer Fanning, which was accorded, to kiss the wreath left by Mrs. Grant. mere institution of a claim to the same by American minister and without requirement by the court of any particulars as to the name of the suit, the relationship of the claimant to the parties mentioned therein or to the original owner of the estate claimed. It is very rarely that in any communication sent us on this subject a smaller sam is mentioned than several millions, and frequently our correspondents state that they are entitled to twenty, fifty, and even more millions. will doubtless cause a surprise and disappointment to such as these to be "informed that their vast ortunes are mere myths. Also to be informed that the total amount of money in the custody of the court of chancey at the present time is about £84,000,000 or \$378,006,-000, of which £83,000,000 belong to owners who are known, leaving about £1,000,600 only of unclaimed

# BRAZIL.

losion of four quintals of damp gunpowder took lace in one of the valleys of this city. The walls of the room, in which the gunpowder was deposited, are much shattered, but no lives were lost.

NO TRACES FOUND. ESCOMADA, Mich., December 26 .- The tug Owen has returned to port from search for the "Orphan Boy" among the islands north of Death's Door. No traces of the vessel were found.

is not yet known how the powder became ignited

SHARON-HILL CASE. SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.-United States Circuit Judge Sawyer this morning rendered a ver-dict in favor of plaintiff in the suits of Sharon vs. Hill, brought to declare void the alleged marriage

# FRANCE.

M. GREVY TO BE RE-ELECTED. Paris, December 26 .- It is generally understood that the Brisson calinet will resign, and that De Freycinet will form a ministry after the re-election of Grevy as president of the French republic, which now appears certain. Grevy will mark his re election by proclaiming amnesty to all politica

offenders. RESIGNATION CONFIRMED. Paris, December 26.—The report that Admira' Goleber, minister of marine and the colonies, had resigned, is confirmed.

BISHOP MOBBED.

Detroor, Mich., December 26.—Another out-reak has occurred among the Polish parishioners at St. Albertus' Catholic church. More than 4,000 people gathered after mass, discussing the report that Bishop Borgess promised to be present to open the church and settle all the trouble, by giv-ing them back their old pastor. The bishop did not appear, and a vast crowd marched to his resi- Be a little less glad going by, there hath been no dence. A committee, appointed to inform him of dence. A committee, appointed to inform him of the facts to the police, who at once put men on the track of the murderer, finding him on the street at the time stated.

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dence. A committee, appointed to inform him of the congregation's desire, was refused admittance. Meanwhile the bishop escaped from the rear of the house. The mob, which had grown in numbers to 6,000, proceeded to St. Joseph's church, where they supposed the bishop was hidden. They made a rush for the door, but it was locked, and some of the variety over the stones, O, light feet tripping to the stones on the street of the sight set thing sleeps in my arms—she'll waken too soon—too soon!

The Vanderbilts keep their bonds. PEACE IN THE COUNTRY.

Lima, December 26.—All troops under arms, serving either with Iglesias or Caceres, have now reached Lima and been disbanded by the council of ministers, and sent home at the expense of the government. Prefects appointed by the new government are joyfully received in all the provinces and tranquility reigns throughout the country. Preparations are being made for the coming elections. Caceres will, it is expected, be returned as president, and the best people in the country elected to the senate and house of deputies.

All THAT SCIENCE AND SKILL

Could do to make Benson's Canada and some of the crowd dispersed, while others proceeded again to St. Albertus' church, however, the police resisted, and they dispersed the rioters. In the attack, one man, a Pole, was killed and and several rioters seriously injured and many more arrested. It is feared the rioting will be resumed to-day.

A large crowd assembled about St. Albertus attack on the edifice, which, however, the police resisted, and they dispersed the rioters. In the attack, one man, a Pole, was killed and and several rioters in a steel box, four feet long by eighteen inches broad, that is set in the wall of the vault in the Lincoln National bank, New York.

ALL THAT SCIENCE AND SKILL Could do to make Benson's Canada dispersed without doing any damage.

Early this morning the Polish Catholics of St. Albertus church gathered about the building but dispersed without doing any damage.

shotgun and fired twice at the mob to frighten them away. It had the contrary effect, and the windows were crushed in immediately with bricks, stones and frozen mud. The uproar was deafening and only slightly abated when the police arrived. Just AMERICAN FORTUNE.HUNTbefore noon a brick went through the hat of Sergeant Nolan, when he ordered a section of the crowd to disperse. A patrolman attempted to arrest the man who had thrown the brick and was floored with a snow shovel. The crowd became massed at this point, and it was only after a hard fight that the police extricated themselves and three prisoners they had captured. Three others were

> LATER. The police seem unable to disperse the crowd, which exhibits a spirit of defiance and answers all orders with jeers and shouts. Word was received at 2 o'clock that the crowd had not yet been driven away. The superintendent of police, Ritman, is massing his men, and expects to prevent all further trouble. This morning Col. Larned, retained to defend

those who were arrested for last night's riots, went to the Lemk'e House to investigate. He was accompaniede John Wagner, who is very unpopular amon, at Poles. On their return, they were assailed with a kinds of missiles, and Col. Larned was hit on the forehead and knocked senseless by a stone. A heavy beaver fur hat saved his life.
STILL LATER—The mob is still defying the police who have as yet been unable to disperse them.

COLLISION AT SEA.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., December 26 .- Point Judith ife saving crew put out in life boat yesterday for of some exceedingly common name likely to occur anywhere, such as Smith or Jones, or who distribute far and wide lists of unclaimed estates which not yet returned. A northeast gale prevailed yesterday and to-day, with soow flurries and thick Large sums of money are annually thrown away weather. This morning dispatches from Point by the dupes of these advertisements and fictitious Judith says it is supposed the crew reached Alock by the dupes of these advertisements and fictitious | Judith says it is supposed the crew reached Alock lists, and a handsome revenue is made by the island harbor. The government cable is not in opagents, as they call themselves, for the discovery of eration, and their fate cannot definitely be known until a steamer can get through to Newport.

PELLETS,"

Postively Popular; Provoke Praise; Prove Price less; Peculiarly Prompt; Perceptibly Potent; Producing Permanent Profit; Precluding Pimples and Pustules: Promoting Purity and Peace. Purchase. Price Petty. Pharmacists Patronizing Pierce Pro-

P04 CATARRH OF THE BLADDER. Stinging, irritation, inflammation, all

CHRISTMAS TIDE.

[This exquisite poem has been furnish ed the STATESMAN by Mrs. J. B. Brooke, sults of inquiries relating to the Jenners' estate, who clipped it from some paper and pasted it in her scrap book many years ago.] THE CHILD.

They say to-night is Christmas eve, and high as I could reach, I've hung my stockings on the wall, and left a kiss come worthless by operation of the statute of limitations. Any attempts, therefore, continues Mr. White, to recover the real estate from the crown, He never came before, but O, I'm sure He will to-

> And to-morrow'll be the day, our blessed Christ Who came on earth to pity me, whom many others scorn;
> And why it is they treat me so, indeed I cannot can sell no other, everybody wants CUTLURA. But while I love Him next to you, then all seems wise and well.

any information regarding the Jenners' estate, said But to-morrow'll be the day I so have prayed to sell very little of any other Medicinal Soap than gland. The letter enclosed sundry interesting doc-And I long to sleep, and wake and find, what it will bring to me.

The snow is in the street, and through the window

pane all day, I've watched the little children pass—they seemed

O, all the world is glad to-night, for this is Christ And, mother, on the cold, cold floor, I've put my little shoemen have been beguiled with regard to large sums The other's torn across the toe and things might

> I've set my little shoe, mother, and it for you shall For I know that He'll remember you while He remembers me. So lay me in my little bed, mother, and hear my prayers aright, He never came before, but O. I'm sure he will to-

there fall through-

that I know.

MIDNIGHT. Mother, is it morning yet? I' dreamed that it was I thought the sun shone in through the pane so

I dreamed my little stockings were full as they But it's hardly morning yet, mother, it is so dark I dreamed the hells rang from the church where happy people go, And they rang good will to all men, in a language

thought I took from off the wall my little stock-And on the floor I emptied them, such sights there never were. tle girls Who always turn from me-and O, it had such

I kissed it on its painted cheek-my own are not so sweet. Though people used to stop and pat and praise them in the street. And mother, there were many things that would have pleased you too, For He who had remembered me had not forgotten

Valparaiso, December 26.—Thursday last an ex- | But I only dreamed 'twas morning, and yet 'tis far Though well I know that He will come before the early day. So I will put my dream aside, tho' I know that it And sleep and dream my dream again, and rise at dawn with you.

> CHRISTMAS MORNING-THE MOTHER. All night have I waked with my weeping, till the ells are ringing wild, All night have I waked with my sorrow, and lain in my tears like a child; For over against the wall, as empty as they can be, The limp little stockings hang, and my heart is

breaking in me. Your vision was false, O, darling dreamer and And how can I bear you to wake and find no Christmas here? Better you and I were asleep in the slumber whence none may start; And O, those empty stockings! I could fill them

No Christmas for yes or me, darling, your kisses were all in vain; I have given your kisses back to you, over and over one hears-Your heart is happy in dreams, tho' your bair is damp with tears.

out of my heart.

things on the wall.

am out of heart and hope: I am almost out of my The world is cruel and cold, and only Christ is And much must be borne, but the heaviest burden That ever hath lain on my life are, those little light

Hush, bells, you'll waken my dreamer! O, children so full of cheer!

DEADLY DYNAMITE.

Caceres will, it is expected, be returned as president, and the best people in the country elected to the senate and house of deputies.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP A CHICAGO
RESIDENCE.

Curcago, December 25.—A little after 9 o'clock this morning a quart can of peculiar construction was found on Judge Lambert Tree's front porch, at 94 Cass street, by his coachman, who tenderly took it up, carried it into a vacant lot in the rear, and then started and run for the Chicago avenue points and the feeling against him is very bitter. Three was pale with fright when he reached there, and the best people in the country elected to the senate about the building but the senate and house of deputies.

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'WHAT IS WOMAN'S WORTH''?

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SHEAR NONSENSE.

Oh, heed not the world's scornful glances, And mind not what others may say; If good fortune away from you dances, You may be a plumber some day.

Cheek in man is not to be admired; but what is nicer than a woman's cheek? "What is laughter?" asks a philosopher. It is the sound you hear when your hat blows off.

Coffee is said to be an antidote for alcohol, and a boarding-house is an excellent antidote for coffee.

"This is my fall soot!" exclaimed the man when the black dust fell on him while he was putting up a stovepipe.

It is the opinion of a quiet man who loves peace that this country has to be saved with great frequency and fury.

A philosopher who had married an ignorant girl used to call her "brown sugar" because, he said, she was sweet but unre-

"Yes, I'm in the lecture business," said the long-haired passenger, "and I'm making money too. Big money; I've got a scheme."

When Cæsar fell "even at the base of Pompey's statue," he faintly remarked that there was less ceremony than Pomp attending his take-off.

A Nevada woman recently eloped while her husband was taking a bath, and now every Nevada benedict has become a perfect crank on hygiene and cleanliness.

# SKIN, SCALP, BLOOD

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